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**BUREAU OF MILK POOLING
POLICY AND PROCEDURAL LETTER NO. 13.1**

CLASSIFICATION OF BUTTER RESIDUE FOR CHURNING PROCESS

This letter supersedes Policy and Procedural Letter No. 13 dated March 30, 1973.

Residue from the butter churning process is Class 4a unless paragraph 1 or 2 below applies:

1. If the residue is bottled and sold as "buttermilk", as defined in Division 15, Part 3, Chapter 5, Article 19, of the California Food and Agricultural Code, it will be reclassified to Class 2.
2. If it is determined that the residue is primarily utilized to develop products in higher classes of usage of milk, cream or skim, the churning process will be classified in the higher classification.

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